

HABENARIA MACROPHYLLA IN MAINE.—Mr. Ames in his recent article (Cf. Ames, RHODORA, Jan. 1906, pp. 1-5) in which he so clearly distinguishes *Habenaria macrophylla* Goldie from *Habenaria orbiculata* Torrey does not seem to have data of the occurrence of *H. macrophylla* in Maine. While Mr. F. M. Billings and the writer were on a recent trip he found two plants of this species growing in low rich evergreen woods, which are now in my herbarium. (No. 5124, Herb. O. W. K., Bucksport, Maine, July 21, 1906, *Billings & Knight*). The species however had been previously collected in Maine as examination of the collection of Maine plants at the University of Maine shows a typical specimen collected in "Rich woods, Monmouth, July 31, 1897, by E. D. Merrill."

In this connection it may be well to state that I have recently seen specimens of *H. orbiculata* in the herbarium of the University of Maine, from Oldtown and Harrison and have it in my own possession from Holden and Sebois. There seems to be no doubt that both species are widely distributed in the State.—ORA W. KNIGHT, Bangor, Maine.

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